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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)**Docket Number (Optional)
32011-171033

In re Application of Mikiya SUZUKI et al.

Application Number 09/824,643 Filed April 4, 2001

For WAVELENGTH DIVISION MULTIPLEX TRANSMISSION
SYSTEMGroup Art Unit
2633 Examiner
David C. Payne

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response in the above identified application.

The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows
(check time period desired):

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assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71

Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96).

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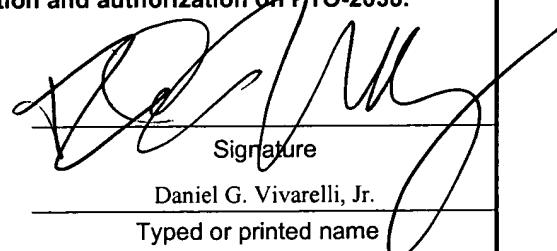
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